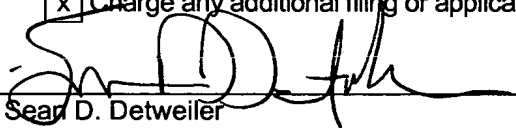



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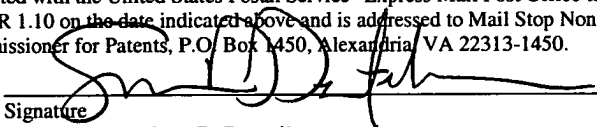
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Dear Sir:

In response to the official office action mailed January 2, 2004, entry of the below amendments, consideration of the remarks provided, and reconsideration of the application are respectfully requested.